

\$350,000 Will Be Distributed Among the Shareholders of the Tonopah Mining Company--Directors Declare DIVIDEND

ELSIE SIGEL

Case Still Baffling the Police of Gotham

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, June 24.—No progress toward the solution of the murder of Elsie Sigel was made today. Clews that reported the capture of Leon Ling poured in from all over the country, including the Pacific coast cities, but proved valueless. Chung Sin for the first time in thirty-four hours was not subjected to a grilling examination today. The police may believe that no further knowledge is to be obtained or that he might forget answers and entangle himself later. It is rumored that a long war is impending owing to his disclosures. The Morning Star mission in the heart of Chinatown tonight began raising a fund to run down Ling.

ANOTHER STRIKE IS REPORTED AT ELLENDALE CAMP

If reports received in this city yesterday can be taken as correct, and there seems to be no reason to doubt their accuracy, Ellendale has proven that it is a district over which the great gold values may be judged to be quite extensively distributed.

The news is to the effect that T. T. Cornforth, a mining man of repute, has found the rich vein on his lease on the Morning Star claim, 1200 feet from the original find. Mr. Cornforth has spent several days in the new district making a careful and studied examination of the vein system in an endeavor to prove its continuity. It would appear that success has crowned his efforts for upon his lease he has uncovered a ledge which he believes is the identical vein from which the Clifford boys are now sacking ore of phenomenal richness.

The find has had its effect upon the camp and in this city. It shows that the values are not confined to the main strike, but may be looked to occur at widely separated places in the district. Ellendale itself is assuming the proportions of a sure enough mining camp. The various leases are on the ground and those not already settled down to work are preparing to begin not later than the first of the coming month. When the different leases are under way, the camp will take on a boom in all reality.

There seems to be an unanimity of opinion concerning the camp. Every person who returns from there brings in the most glowing reports until one cannot help but feel that the camp is certain to make good. Nothing like it has ever been seen perhaps in the mining world. The showing at surface and at the depth which has been attained by the Cliffords is nothing short of remarkable, judging from the statements of some of the most reputable mining men in this state.

Tonopah is feeling the effect of the new camp upon this town. Conditions here have materially improved during the past few weeks, due in no small degree to the birth of Ellendale. Tonopah people have gotten in heavily in the new camp and they are not ones to tumble over each other chasing rainbows. Taken conditions in general into consideration, the signs point to Ellendale as a fixed star in the mining firmament.

GOVERNMENT SETBACK.

(By Associated Press.)
BERLIN, June 24.—The Reichstag gave a setback to the government financial reform plans today by rejecting a bill to extend the inheritance tax to direct heirs, including women and children by a vote of 194 to 186. The bill in the present form will be dropped. The discussion caused bitter speeches.

CAPTAIN CONBOY CHARGED WITH SERIOUS CRIME

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, June 24.—Captain of Police Conboy, charged with an assault to commit murder, was today released on \$1200 bail after being in jail since Tuesday morning awaiting the outcome of the shooting of Bernard Lagan. Lagan's condition is precarious, with little hope of recovery.

FOUND THE LEAK.

It has been discovered that the cause of the inflow of water into the cellar of the Cuddy and Stock store was caused by the breaking of the water main in Brougher avenue. The same is being repaired, while Dave Holland's theory is knocked sky high.

DIVIDENDS TO DATE FOOT UP SUM REPRESENTING NEARLY FIVE MILLION DOLLARS

(Special to the Bonanza.)

PHILADELPHIA, June 24.—The directors of the Tonopah Mining Company of Nevada today declared the regular quarterly dividend of 25 per cent, or \$250,000, and an extra dividend of 10 per cent, or \$100,000, making a total for the quarter of \$350,000, 35 per cent on the capitalization. This dividend is payable on July 21st, to shareholders of record on June 30th, the transfer books closing June 30th at 3 p. m., and reopening on July 8th at 10 a. m.

The declaration of this latest dividend makes the total amount of dividends declared by the Tonopah Mining company almost reach the gigantic sum of \$5,000,000, or to be exact, \$4,850,000. The treasury of the company is in splendid shape, there remaining a good reserve amount for exploration of the company's property. The mines are in excellent shape and will in all likelihood add many more millions to the shareholders in the shape of dividends.

MRS. GOULD

Testifies She Never Called Hubby a Puppy

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, June 24.—Mrs. Howard Gould was called to the stand in the divorce case today and denied that she was ever guilty of being intoxicated or unadvisable as stated by a host of servants and others called by her husband in his defense. She said she never called her husband a "little puppy." Gould and his attorney appeared to be amused by the testimony and smiled and whispered.

BRANDENSTEIN AND HIS LETTER

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, June 24.—Brandenburg was on the stand in his own behalf all of today. The cross-examination was just begun when court adjourned. He described the preparation of the Cleveland article the sale of which to the New York Times led to his arrest. It is insisted that the article offered as evidence by the state and the signature are not the originals. It is said he obtained the approval of F. S. Hastings, executor of the Cleveland estate, for the sale of the article.

HUNTS OVER WASHINGTON TO FIND CONGRESSMEN

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, June 24.—The house today passed the bill authorizing an emergency appropriation of \$10,000,000 to defray the expenses of the thirteenth decennial census. The sergeant-at-arms and deputies hunted all over the city to find members. Eighty were seated in the senate listening to the debate.

CALIFORNIA WOMAN DEFEATS BEAN EATER AT TENNIS

(By Associated Press.)
PHILADELPHIA, June 24.—Miss Hazel Hotchkiss of Berkeley, California, defeated Miss Edith Rotch of Boston today in the semi-finals of the woman's national tennis championship. She will meet Miss Louise Hammond of New York in the finals tomorrow.

PITTSBURG CARMEN THROW DOWN GAUNTLET

PITTSBURG, June 24.—The employees of the Pittsburgh Railway company today decided to give the company six days in which to adjust the differences alleged to be inimical to the motormen and conductors. If the company fails to act within that time it is said a general strike will be declared.

RETURNS TO TONOPAH.

Deputy Assessor Lester Bell has returned to Tonopah from Pioneer and the surrounding country where he has been on assessing business. He reports that that section is looking up. All feel that it has an excellent future. Pioneer itself is looking better than it ever has. It promises to be one of the big producers of this county.

LEACH WILL RESIGN.

OAKLAND, June 23.—Frank A. Leach, Sr., director of the United States mint, with headquarters at Washington, has decided to accept the position of president of the People's Water company, according to announcement made today. The tender was made Thursday last.

A BEAUTIFUL WOMAN IS BEATEN AND MURDERED

(By Associated Press.)

ST. MICHAELS (Md.), June 24.—John T. Roberts, charged with the murder of Mrs. Edith May Woodill of Los Angeles, was arrested tonight after an exciting search. The police say that they have evidence connecting him with the murder. He was with the woman when she was last seen alive. The nude body was found yesterday, with the skull crushed in, near the home of Captain Charles H. Thompson, her foster father, a few miles from here. Roberts claims to be a magazine writer and newspaper correspondent. He drove Mrs. Woodill to Royal Oak last Saturday. There they entered Roberts' launch to take her home and the woman was never seen alive again. Since her disappearance Roberts was living in Baltimore, whence Captain Thompson received a letter ostensibly from his foster child saying she would shortly return. When the body was brought ashore Roberts disappeared. It is believed the launch trip ended in a bungalow on Roberts' farm, where a bloody sheet and portions of the woman's clothes, partially burned, were found. They were identified as belonging to Mrs. Woodill. The rooms show evidence of a struggle. A mystery involves the parentage of Mrs. Woodill. Ex-Secretary of the Treasury Gage, the former guardian, and her husband, refuse to discuss the affair.

LOS ANGELES, June 24.—Gilbert Woodill, whose beautiful young wife was found dead in a river near Baltimore and believed to have been murdered, is prostrated with grief and confined to his bed under a doctor's care. He is unable to throw any light upon the mystery surrounding her death, but believes robbery was the incentive for the crime. He said he had a slight acquaintance with the man suspected but really knows nothing of him. He received a letter this morning mailed by the dead woman several days ago which throws no new light upon the tragedy.

SAN DIEGO, June 24.—Lyman J. Gage, former secretary of the treasury, who was the guardian of Mrs. Woodill until her marriage, refused today to tell anything of how he came to assume that position toward the woman. He admitted receiving a telegram announcing her death, but declined to see interviewers.

Givens Here in Interest of the American Mining Congress

James C. Givens, secretary of the executive committee of the American Congress of Nevada, is in Tonopah. Mr. Givens will remain here several days interviewing the mining men of this district with a view to securing their attendance at the forthcoming session of the congress in Goldfield and their cooperation in the success of the meeting. Mr. Givens is domiciled at the Mizpah.

"The meeting to be held in Goldfield will undoubtedly be one of the largest that has ever been held by the congress," said Mr. Givens to a representative of the Bonanza. "In addition it will be the most representative gathering of mining men ever met within the borders of this or any other state. The aggregate amount of wealth to be represented will run away up into the millions, consequently it will be seen that this section in particular and the state in general will be greatly benefited. Tonopah will be visited by the members in a body for at least one day.

"We hope to have the finest exhibit of ore ever displayed in the world. Much depends on getting together a display that will prove attractive. Many of the men who are coming will want to see the ores characteristic of Nevada; in fact, they all will be interested. This exhibit will be the direct means of attracting the attention of the mining men and in my opinion many of the members of the congress will become so enthused that they will visit in person many of the localities that are now in the public eye.

"Tonopah is finally situated and bids fair to reap abundantly. Manhattan's wonderful placer discoveries will have their beneficial effect upon this camp, while if Ellendale is what is claimed for it, Tonopah will be additionally benefited. I have spent several days in the Manhattan placer fields and so impressed was I with the outlook that I secured interests there. I am told Ellendale is cer-

HEAT KILLS

In New York While in Nevada it's Just Nice

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, June 24.—Thirty-four prostrations and three suicides are the result of the fourth day of the unabated heat. The thermometer registered 92 degrees at 3 o'clock, and 80 degrees tonight. Thousands are sleeping on the beach at Coney Island.

NEWLANDS SAID TO HAVE SPOKEN

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, June 24.—Senators Beveridge, Bailey and Newlands occupied virtually the whole day in the senate with long speeches on the tariff. Beveridge declared that the size of packages of tobacco reduced in time of war was never restored or the price reduced to correspond after the tax was removed, the result being millions of profit to the trust. Bailey discussed free raw materials in an effort to justify his vote as a Democrat against the free entry of iron ore, lumber and hides. Newlands talked on the income tax question, especially the corporation tax question favored by the president, citing the legislation of 1898 under which the Spreckels case was decided in the supreme court relative to the gross receipts of oil refiners.

ANOTHER GOLDFIELD FIRM TO ENTER TONOPAH FIELD

Information has been received in this city that another Goldfield firm is about to enter the Tonopah field. Hunt's Hygrade Goldfield store will open a branch in Tonopah about the first of September. This firm is one of the leading establishments of the camp to the south. It has the greatest confidence in Tonopah, so much so in fact that it is willing to invest its money here. It has not been learned just where the location of the new business house will be.

SON KILLS FATHER WHO BIT OFF JOINT OF HIS FINGER

BARTLESVILLE (Okla.), June 24.—Harrison Day, 20 years old, tonight perhaps fatally wounded his father, James Day. The elder Day had bitten off a joint of one of the son's fingers during a quarrel. The latter rushed to a neighbors, borrowed a shotgun and shot his father.

MEETING OF TONOPAH PUBLIC LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

Regular routine business was transacted yesterday at the monthly meeting of the Tonopah Public Library association. An appropriation of \$100 was made for new books. There are at the present time in the neighborhood of 1600 volumes in the library besides many magazines and periodicals.

(By Associated Press.)

DENVER, June 24.—Bishop N. C. Matz, of the Colorado diocese of the Catholic church, filed a petition for an injunction today seeking to restrain Father J. P. Carrigan from holding services in St. Patrick's church. Carrigan refused to go to the Pueblo church when ordered and also refused to go into retirement, to which he was sentenced by the Episcopal court.

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BOY KILLED

By Brother and His Body Thrown In Hogpen

(By Associated Press.)

MODESTO (Cal.), June 24.—Cecil Hopkins, aged 12, son of a farmer near here, confessed tonight that he shot and killed his six-year-old brother last night and buried the body in a hogpen. He refuses to make a statement as to the reason for the shooting. The boy was aiding searching parties in scouring the country for his brother today. The parents were absent and the neighbors and police believed it a case of kidnapping. The boy tonight confessed and was taken to jail, where he remained silent. The child was struck in the back with a charge from a shotgun.

STRINGING LIGHTS FOR THE MAMMOTH JULY CELEBRATION

It is evident that Tonopah will be a blaze of electric glory during the nights of the forthcoming Fourth of July festivities. Electricians are at present at work stringing the lights across Main street and Brougher avenue. The juice will be turned on on the nights of June 28th and June 29th when the Elks will hold forth in this city.

Electricity has come to play an important part in the decorations at celebrations everywhere. This year Tonopah will show the residents as well as the stranger within our gates one of the best illuminations ever seen anywhere. This feature alone will undoubtedly attract a large crowd from the neighboring camps. An arrival from Goldfield yesterday stated that quite a crowd would be in attendance from Goldfield and reports from other sections are to the effect that large crowds are coming. Tonopah is going to give a show that cannot be beaten. The city will be wide open to all who come.

SAN FRANCISCO DON'T WANT MUNICIPALITY OWNED ROADS

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, June 24.—The municipally owned street railroad scheme of this city received a setback today when the proposition to issue \$1,950,000 to reconstruct and operate the Geary street cable road and electric line was defeated. There were 400 votes lacking the required two-thirds majority. The total vote polled was 2,258, which is unusually small.

POWER OFF BUT THE BONANZA COMES OUT

This morning about 2 o'clock the electric power which furnishes the town was cut off on account of weather conditions at Bishop. The splendid gas auxiliary plant of the Bonanza was pressed into service with the result that Tonopah's leading daily appears this morning as if nothing had happened.

CAPITALISTS ON TOUR OF INSPECTION OF THE WEST

(By Associated Press.)
SALT LAKE, June 24.—A special train bearing 154 bankers, capitalists and manufacturers, representing two billions of capital, arrived today en route to Colorado, Utah, Idaho, Oregon and Wyoming to inspect irrigation and water power development. The tourists are mainly from Chicago and Buffalo.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Cleveland—Cleveland 5, Chicago 1.
At Washington—Boston 5, Washington 1.
At Detroit—St. Louis 1, Detroit 2.
At Philadelphia—New York 3, Philadelphia 5.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At St. Louis—Pittsburg 3, St. Louis 2.
At Brooklyn—Philadelphia 5, Brooklyn 6.
At New York—Boston 4, New York 7 (first game); Boston 5, New York 12 (second game).
At Cincinnati—Cincinnati-Chicago game postponed.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.

At San Francisco—Los Angeles 5, San Francisco 2.
At Los Angeles—Oakland 5, Vernon 2.
At Sacramento—Portland 3, Sacramento 6.

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